

24 September 1948

MEMORANDUM TO: Commanding Officer, Army Map Service
6500 Brooks Lane, Washington, D.C.

FROM: Chief, Map Branch

ATTENTION: Chief, Map Distribution Division

SUBJECT: Request for Placement of the Map Branch, CIA, on
Army Map Service Automatic Distribution Lists.

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1. Until June 1948 the Map Branch, CIA, and its predecessors have been included on automatic distribution lists for many of the issuances and publications of the Army Map Service. On 7 June 1948 the AMS sent a form letter to CIA asking that the requirements for automatic distribution of AMS issuances be surveyed. Through a misunderstanding, [REDACTED] of the CIA, in answer to the AMS letter, canceled AMS automatic distribution to the Map Branch.

2. The Map Branch is responsible for providing map reference services to the CIA and, as requested, to other IAC-member agencies. It is essential that the reference personnel of this Branch have copies of AMS maps, accessions lists, indices, bulletins and gazetteers issued by the Army Map Service in order that facilities provided by that service can be fully utilized.

3. It is requested that the Map Branch, CIA, be placed on automatic distribution for the issuances indicated below, and that such issuances be transmitted to the following address:

Central Intelligence Agency
2430 E Street, N.W.
Attention: Map Branch

Five copies	Distribution A - Foreign maps through Restricted
Two copies, if available	Distribution D - Captured maps
Two copies	Distribution E - AMS Library Accessions Report
Six copies	Distribution F - AMS Theatre indices
Two copies	Distribution G - AMS map catalogue and supplemental indices
Two copies	Distribution H - AMS Publication list for China

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	Two copies	Distribution J - AMS foreign and domestic publication list
	Two copies	Distribution M - AMS quarterly progress report
	Three copies	Distribution O - AMS Bulletin
	Three copies	Distribution P - AMS gazetteers and glossaries (Atlantic)
	Three copies	Distribution Q - AMS gazetteers and glossaries (Pacific)
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4. Any questions concerning this request should be directed to
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